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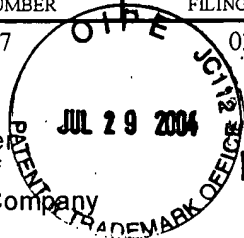


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 1-3.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

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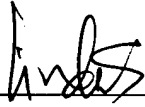
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In re Application of:

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**APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
THERMALLY PROCESSING AN
IMAGING MATERIAL EMPLOYING A
PREHEAT CHAMBER**

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July 27, 2004
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LETTER UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(D)

This letter is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Form PTO-1533) mailed 15 June 2004.

Returned herewith is a copy of the above-entitled form and the signed Declaration as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.51, and Three (3) sheets of formal drawings depicting Figures 1-3. These drawings correct the informalities as required by 37 CFR. and 37 CFR 1.121. Please substitute these drawings currently on file with the application.

This action is being taken within two months of the above Notice.

**Please charge the fee to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account
No. 05-0225. A duplicate copy of this request is enclosed.**

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